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April 15th, 1868.

The States & Union.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

ASHLAND, MAY 6, 1868.

PERSONAL.—Joseph Brice, Practical Cutter and Merchant Tailor, has removed his store from Slocum's new block to the room over J. B. F. Sampsel & Co.'s Hardware Store, where he will be pleased to see all his old friends and customers. He returns his thanks to the public for the generous patronage he has received, and hopes by strict attention to business to continue to merit it.

CARRIAGES.—J. B. Sampsel & Co. have their new establishments on Orange street, now in running order. Under the superintendence of Mr. E. C. Leach, a first-class workman, this establishment will be able to satisfy the most fastidious in Buggies, Carriages, &c. Call and see their work.

ZACK GREENWALD.—Zack has just filled his large and commodious store with the best goods in the Eastern market. He is always good natured, attentive, and cheap. Give him a call and supply yourself with and elegant spring suit.

H. J. TRAVEL & CO. now occupy the old stand of Leach & Co. and will be pleased to accommodate those desiring a carriage wagon or other vehicle at moderate rates. They propose to warrant their work. It will pay to give them a call.

CLOTHING.—Mr. Cahn has just returned from the East with a fine assortment of cloths, spring goods and ready made clothing. Give him a call, and you will be able to satisfy yourself, without doubt. He is always ready to suit his customers in price, and quality of goods.

TO THE APPLICANT.—Dr. J. Worth Stewart, who has had such success, curing the sick for the past year in Cleveland, Warren, Painesville, Genoa, Jefferson, Elyria, and many other places in Ohio, will be at the Empire House, Mansfield, O., May 12th, for ten days. Many have been cured by him: when given up other systems of practice, he gives no medicine and his cures are permanent; treats all diseases of old and young. He prefers those that have failed in being restored by taking medicine. All letters of inquiry will reach him, direct to Genoa, O.

A DESERVED COMPLIMENT.—GREAT Ovation?—We have been told that there were brave men before Agamemnon; and these men it is indeed modern in its utterance, "that none but the brave deserve the fair," had a home in the human heart ages ago. In the glorious days of old Greece, when the Spartan mother gave her son his shield and sent him forth to battle, with the heroic injunction to come home "with it or on it," there was outspoken that appreciation of chivalric daring, that in all after ages has sought to twine the laurel chaplet around the warrior's brow.

Our own countrymen and countrywomen have been as prompt to render to valor its due meed as those of any age, or nation. The "progress," as they styled it in old English times, of our gallant and successful officers through the country, has been the occasion of great and jubilant demonstrations. We are free to say that these outpouring evidences of popular esteem and distinguished regard have in no instance been more truly deserved or gratefully given than in the "welcome home," tendered on Monday last, to our gallant and esteemed young friend, Capt. M. B. De Snook, of this place.

It is true that the information that the gallant Captain would arrive at home on the 10 o'clock train was not made public until a late hour in the morning; but the "boys in blue," as prompt to show respect to their old comrade in arms, as they had ever been to answer the "long roll" or the bugle call "to boots and saddle," were on hand in their strength. An improvised band of music and splendidly decorated banner, bearing the motto "Welcome Home—Our Patriotic Friend," was at the Station on the arrival of the train. We regret that before we reached the ground the gathering crowd had become so great and dense that we were unable to get near enough to report the eloquent speech of welcome made by Maj. Bogelow or the emotional reply of the distinguished recipient of these well deserved honors.

The vast crowd formed into procession, headed by the band, and amid the soul-stirring notes of "See the Conquering Hero Comes," the gallant Captain was conducted to the McNully House, where he most graciously received his admiring friends.

For an impromptu reception we think this was the finest we ever witnessed. When Ashland again honors her brave man, we be there to see.

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HON. M. WELKER will please accept our thanks for a volume of the Congressional Globe and Appendix for the year 1867.

THANKS.—We are under many obligations to Mr. CHRISTIAN BUCKNER and Lady for a most elegant and delicious wedding cake, left at the office in our absence. We hope that all the dreams of happiness, long life, and prosperity, now entertained by them, may be more than realized.

GROCERIES.—Frazee & Rebmam have formed a partnership, and occupy the old stand of Beer & Woodhouse, at the "Old Stone Corner." They have on hand a large assortment of provisions of all kinds, and propose to sell at such rates as will warrant a large patronage. Drop in. See advertisement in another column.

THE GALLOTS ABOUT.—On Saturday evening an affair of honor occurred between two belligerent gentlemen, who were evidently considerably under the influence of benzine. One of the parties, felt himself warranted in using a "slung shot" on his excited opponent. He came near scalping the party, upon whom he used the deadly and cowardly weapon. Be careful hereafter or you will see your names in print.

How Coffee Came to be Used.

The manner in which coffee came to be used as a common beverage, is somewhat singular. At the time Columbus discovered America, it had never been known or used. It only grew in Arabia and upper Ethiopia. The discovery of its use as a beverage is ascribed to the superior of a monastery in Arabia, who, desirous of preventing the monks from sleeping at their nocturnal services made them drink the infusion of coffee, upon the report of shepherds, who observed that their flocks were more lively after browsing on the fruit of the plant. The reputation spread, though the adjacent countries, and in about two hundred years it had reached Paris. A single plant brought there in 1774, became the parent stock of all the French coffee plantations in the West Indies. The Dutch introduced it into Java and the East Indies, and the French and Spanish all over South America and the West Indies. The extent of the consumption can now hardly be realized. The United States alone annually consume it at the cost, on its landing, of from fifteen to sixteen million of dollars.

Strange Case—A Sick Man

A few days since the following circumstance occurred in this county, as we learn from a person who was present on the melancholy occasion: A physician was called to see a noble young man in his sickness. He examined the case carefully, felt the pulse, which appeared strong and almost healthy, pronounced the case hopeful, and after prescribing a few medicines, he departed. As soon as he left, the young man firmly and in about his usual voice told a gentleman present to look at his watch, and note the time, for in just ten minutes from the time he spoke he should be dead. The doctor, wishing like the physician, to turn his attention from the subject, paid no attention to it, but performed some other slight attention. After about five minutes more had elapsed, the sick man again spoke to his friend: "Why did you not look at your watch? Five minutes have passed. I have only five minutes more to live. The friend then looked at his watch and noted the time. In just five minutes the patient was dead!—Galena (Ill.) Gazette.

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PLATFORM OF THE DEMOCRACY OF OHIO, ADOPTED JANUARY 8, 1868.

Resolved, That the Democracy of Ohio congratulate the country upon the improved aspect of political affairs as evidenced by the State elections of 1867, and that they look forward with hope and confidence to the result of that momentous struggle, and upon which depends, in so great a degree, the future peace and prosperity of the Union.

Resolved, That, alternately opposed to the doctrines which lead to consolidation, we renew with unflinching zeal and the renewed effort, our attachment to that political creed which has ever been so staunchly adhered to by our organization through days of trouble and disaster, as well as good fortune and prosperity, which was thus expressed by Thomas Jefferson: "Equal and exact justice to all men, of whatever state or persuasion—religious or political—peace, commerce and honest friendship with all nations, entangling alliances with none; the support of the States Government in all their rights as the most complete administration of our domestic concerns and the surest bulwark against anti-republican tendencies; the preservation of the General Government in its whole constitutional vigor as the sheet anchor of our peace and safety abroad; a jealous guard of the rights of elections by the people; and the supremacy of the civil over the military authority."

Resolved, That we condemn the legislative usurpations of Congress, and particularly the several acts of reconstruction so-called, as violative of the Constitutional compact between the States, and as utterly subversive of every principle of self-government that distinguishes a free people.

Resolved, That we are opposed to any measures which recognize that the integrity of the Union was ever broken—that any of its members were ever seceded, and that we determinedly resist the Southern States no longer being in insurrection, or at war, with the Federal Government, are entitled to the full State recognition and constitutional representation in Congress, and the electoral colleges given to all the States, and the denial of it to them by Congress, and the effort to dictate by military force a government for them are unconstitutional, revolutionary and despotic.

Resolved, That we are opposed both in principle and policy, to negro suffrage; that the State of Ohio—having by the emphatic majority of 50,000 votes, rejected the Southern States, and opposed to its forced imposition upon other States, and that we stigmatize such an imposition by the Federal Government as a most base usurpation.

Resolved, That the practical effect of the so-called Reconstruction act of Congress is to divide over ten States to the political and social control of negroes and to place the lives, liberties and fortunes of the Whites residing therein, in the hands of a barbarous people, and that it would inevitably lead to the civil war or to the Africanization of the South.

Resolved, That notwithstanding the enormous and conceded frauds in the creation of the public debt, the faith of the country is pledged to its payment, principal and interest, according to the terms of the several acts of Congress, under which the bonds representing the debt were issued, and not otherwise, and we are opposed to any plan for extending the times of payment, thus increasing the amount of gold interest to more than the principal, or to any declaration by Congress that the principal is payable in gold, which would virtually add more than a thousand millions to the burden of the debt, and to the whole insane financial policy of which these measures are a part.

Resolved, That, neither forgetting nor denying our ancient faith that gold and silver coin form the currency of the country, we declare that the five-twenty bonds should be paid in the same currency received by the Government for their issue, and that by the withdrawal of the monopoly granted to the National Banks this result can be accomplished without an increase of the debt, and without the money, now the only circulating medium, thus relieving our people from the burden of a debt, the tendency of which is always to corrupt and enslave, and our Government from the reproach of paying a favored class in gold, while charging its debts to the people in depreciated currency.

Resolved, That this plan violates no law, impairs no contract, breaks no faith, and instead of retarding a return to specie payments, is the shortest because the only safe way of reaching that end.

Resolved, That all the property of the country, including the Government bonds, which requires the equal protection of the Government, should bear an equal share in its burdens. **Resolved,** That we indignantly reject the principle of debtors' exemption from the payment of their debts, and the system—that the masses of the people belong to the Governments under which they live, which in another form is contended for by the monarchies of Europe, including Great Britain, and which subject always a subject, that we on the contrary maintain that an individual can, by emigration and residence in another country, forfear his previous allegiance, and be admitted to all the civil and political rights of his new home—that American citizens by adoption and naturalization are entitled to all the rights in between us and foreign powers which can be claimed by our native born citizens, and it is the duty of the Federal Government to protect and maintain them by every means in its power.

Resolved, That the people will sustain Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, in his struggle with Congressional usurpation, and that we pledge the Democracy of Ohio to support him in all Constitutional measures to relieve the white people of the South from the negro government now being imposed upon them.

Resolved, That the fortune and gallantry of our soldiers in the recent civil war, in defense of the Union, entitle them to the gratitude of the country, and they should ever be remembered by it in its bounties.

Resolved, That the Democracy of the country have neither the purpose nor desire to re-establish slavery, nor to assume any portion of the debts of the States lately in rebellion.

PRIMARY MEETINGS.

The terms for announcing the name of candidates for nomination at the Primary Meetings, will be as follows: For subscribers \$2.00—non-subscribers \$2.50—*invariably in advance.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Auditor.
ED. UNION—I will be a candidate for re-election to the Office of County Auditor, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Meeting of May 30, 1868.

Sheriff.
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